the various provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 covering hazardous substances and management of chemical accidents, the Union Ministry of Environment and Forests has also taken various steps, namely, setting up of a Hazardous substances Management Division; framing of rules for regulating chemicals during all stages of manufacture and handling; preparation of a Crises Management Plan to deal with chemical emergencies; constitution of Central Crises Group; and issuance of guidelines to the States for preparation of crises management plans.

Manufacturing of trucks, cars, scooters and motor-cycles

2820. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of trucks, cars, scooters and motor-cycles manufactured in the country during nine months of the current financial year;

(b) what is the corresponding figures of manufacture of these automobiles during the years 1986-87 and 1987-88; and

(c) what are the details of action taken by Government to increase their manufacture?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) The No. of vehicles manufactured during the period (April—December) is as under:

	1986-87	1987-88	1988-89
Medium & Heavy commercial vehicle .	38984	43548	48617
Passenger car	90521	113150	121116
Scooter	463472	446365	519722
Motor-cycle	240569	238701	314536

(c) Sufficient capacities for the manufacture of these items have been established. The trend shows that the production is increasing.

Disconnected Telephones

2821. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of telephones disconnected during the years 1986-87, 1987-88 and from April, 1988 till February, 1989, circle-wise;

(b) the number of telephones installed during the above period in the country, circle-wise;

(c) the number of complaints received about excessive billing circlewise during the same period; and

(d) the number of complaints about excessive billing disposed of during the same period and number of complaints still pending?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) to (d) *The information is*